**Literary Analysis Written Response**

**Structure for Writing the Essay Prompt**

**7. You have read the passage from *Boy’s Life* and “Emancipation: A Life Fable.” Write an essay that identifies a similar theme in each text and compares and contrasts the approaches each text uses to develop this theme. Be sure to support your response with evidence from both texts.**

1. Identify one similar theme in each text. Use text evidence to prove that this is a theme in both the passage from *Boy’s Life* and “Emancipation: A Life Fable.”
2. Tell how the theme you listed above in *A* is developed in the passage from *Boy’s Life*. Use text evidence from the *Boy’s Life* passage to support your response.
3. Tell how the theme you listed in part *A* is developed in “Emancipation: A Life Fable.” Use text evidence from the fable to support your response.
4. What about the theme is similar in each text?
5. What about the theme is different in each text?
6. Restate the theme and explain and its overall meaning for these two passages combined.

*\*Each letter should be a separate paragraph.*